Loving Me 1st, Inc.

Dedicated to Enriching, Empowering, and Rebuilding the Lives of Women One Step at a Time

Loving Me 1st, Inc. will provide clients who reside in Milwaukee Shelters, with starter kits once they complete counseling and are ready to move out on their own into housing. These kits will consist of basic items needed to start off in a new home.

In return, clients will pay a nominal fee of \$25 and give 5 hours of volunteer service back to the shelter that referred them to the program. If a client is unable to afford the fee, additional hours of volunteer service can be substituted.

By providing this service, clients are able to use the money that they would use to purchase these items, and apply it towards rent, deposit, or other needed items for their new home.

One of the biggest obstacles facing the homeless is the process of moving out of a shelter and starting over on their own. Many have little or no income, and are barely making ends meet. This is a concern that Loving Me 1st, Inc. would like address. Although the shelters receive donations, there is nothing in place that offers assistance of this kind on a constant and regular basis for their participants. Loving Me 1st, Inc. would like to decrease the amount of people who go back to homelessness due to lack of income.

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